

County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works

Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 29 Water System Infrastructure

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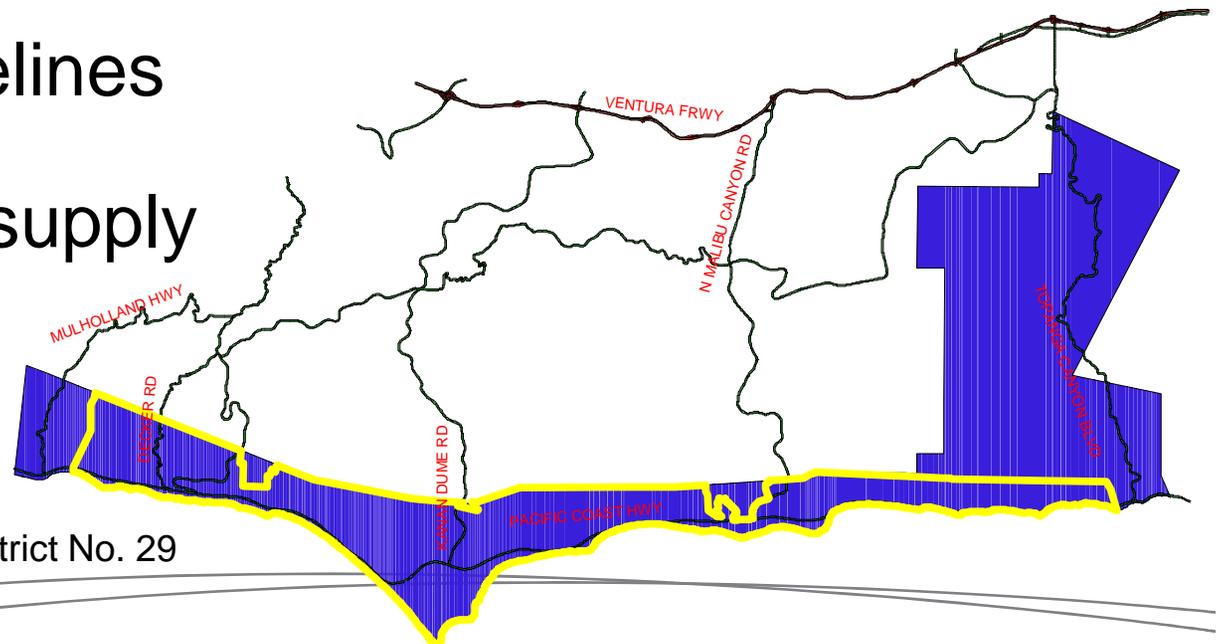
Agenda

1. Welcome and Staff Introductions
2. District 29 Overview
3. Infrastructure Needs
4. Priority Projects
5. CEQA Overview
6. Community Input

Description of District 29

- Over 7,500 service connections serving approximately 20,000 people
- 50 water storage tanks
- 200 miles of pipelines
- 1 primary water supply source

 LA County Waterworks District No. 29
 City of Malibu



District 29 Infrastructure

- Projects needed to provide more reliable system
- 2012: Needs assessment (WSMP) identified \$266.5 million worth of improvements for existing deficiencies
- 2016: Identified a list of 27 projects

District 29 Infrastructure

- Limited Funds
 - Capital Improvement Program
 - Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWSRF) financing
- Borrowing is limited to an amount that would not require a rate increase
- Must maintain revenues for emergency repair or other critical capital improvements not included in the identified project list

Priority Projects

- Projects prioritized based on operational imperatives, importance to overall system, and capacity
- 2017: Identified 12 critical projects to be completed over the next 10 years

Priority Projects

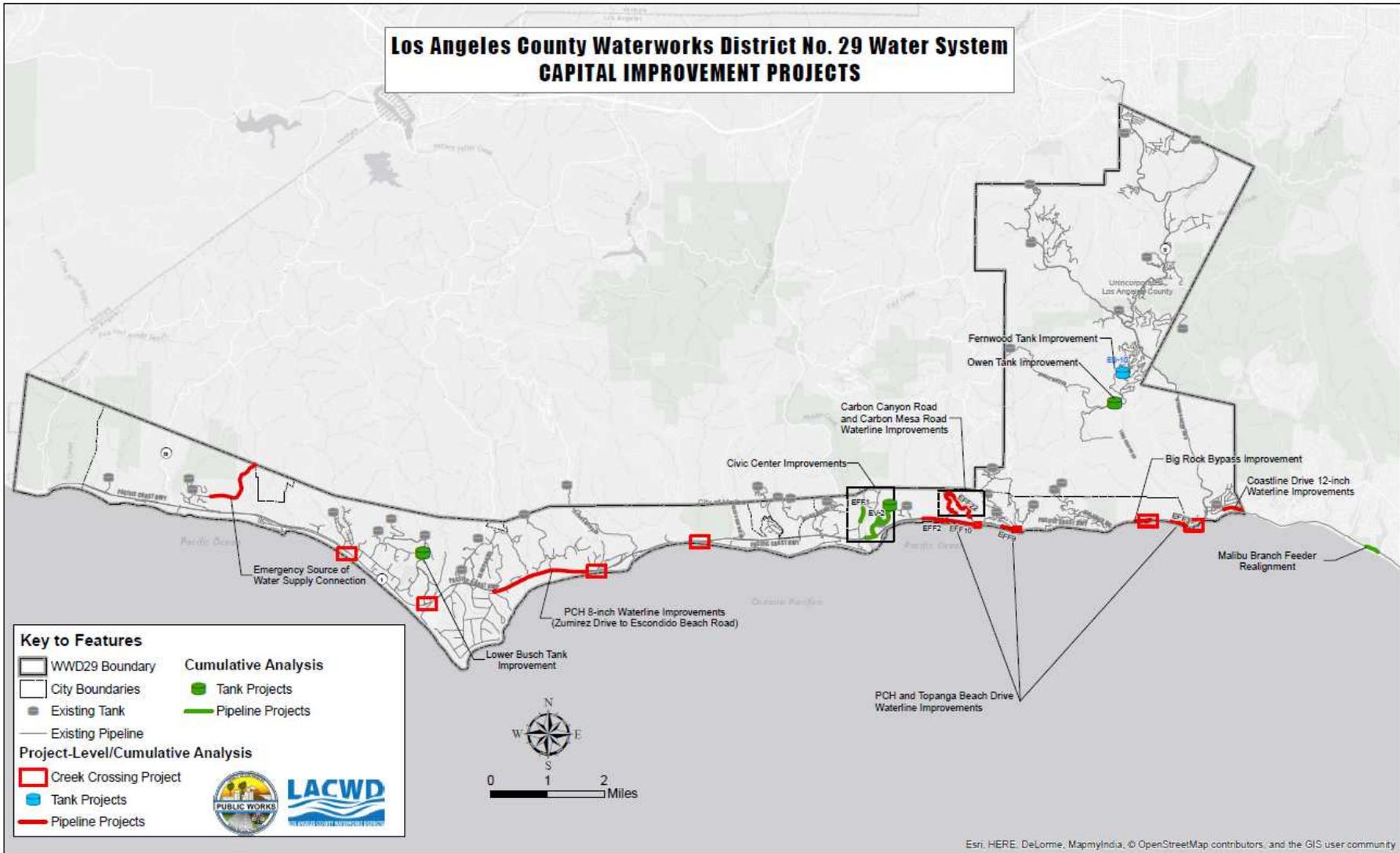
- Big Rock Bypass Improvements
- Carbon Canyon Road and Carbon Mesa Road Waterline Improvements
- Civic Center Improvements
- Coastline Drive 12-Inch Waterline Improvements
- District No. 29 Creek Crossing Repair Project
- Emergency Source of Water Supply Connection (Las Virgenes Connection)
- Fernwood Tank Improvement
- Lower Busch Tank Improvement
- Malibu Branch Feeder Realignment
- Owen Tank Improvement
- PCH 8-inch Waterline Improvements (Zumirez Drive to Escondido Beach Road)
- PCH and Topanga Beach Drive Waterline Improvements

Environmental Analysis

- The Priority Capital Deficiencies Improvements Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
 - 8 projects that will be analyzed for project level and cumulative impacts
 - 4 projects analyzed for cumulative impacts

Project Map

Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 29 Water System CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS



CEQA Process

- California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)
- Purpose
 - Disclose to public significant environmental effects and agencies decision-making process
 - Prevent or minimize damage to the environment
 - Improve interagency coordination
 - **Enhance public participation in environmental review process**
- Environmental Impact Report (EIR)

CEQA Process

NOTICE OF PREPARATION – EIR
SCOPING MEETING

We are here



PREPARE DRAFT EIR
NOTICE OF COMPLETION



PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD



RESPOND TO COMMENTS
PREPARE FINAL EIR
NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

CEQA Process

- What is “scoping”?
 - Opportunity for public to participate in CEQA process
 - Allows public to provide input on potential impacts to be analyzed in the EIR
- How to provide input
 - Verbal comments tonight
 - Written comments on cards provided
 - Send comments by mail or email

Community Input

- Comment Period
- Submit comment cards, 2 minutes each speaker

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